

I. Amendments to the Specification

Please amend the specification as follows in accordance with revised 37 CFR § 1.121.

5 Add the following new paragraph at page 1, line 3:

Cross-Reference to Related Applications

10 The present application is related to the following
15 applications: Application Serial Number 09/544,274, filed
 04/06/2000, titled "Apparatus and Method for Deletion of
 Objects From an Object-Relational System in a Customizable and
 Database Independent Manner"; and Application Serial Number
 09/717,818, filed 11/21/2000, titled "Method and system for a
 generic metadata-based mechanism to migrate relational data
 between databases".